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City of Barrie

Final

Active Transportation and Sustainability Advisory Committee

Tuesday, September 6, 2022 | **10:00 AM** | **Virtual Meeting**

For consideration by the Infrastructure and Community Investment Committee on May 31, 2023.

The meeting was called to order by Vice Chair, J. Northcote at 10:05 a.m. The following were in attendance for the meeting:

Present: 9 - Councillor A.M. Kungl
A. Pelan
E. Jacoby-Hawkins
E. vanWesenbeeck
J. Northcote
K. Patterson-McGrath
L. Hoffarth
S. Warren
W. Steimle

Absent: 2 - Councillor K. Aylwin
S. Diaz - SMDHU

STAFF:
Committee Support Clerk, B. Thompson.

The Active Transportation and Sustainability Committee met and reports as follow(s):

TRANSITION/LEGACY DOCUMENT - NEW TERM

The Committee discussed its transition/legacy document at length and collectively came up with suggestions of items to add, such as changing the name of the Committee, amending its structure and composition, and requesting a budget. The Committee further discussed a potential recommendation to either the current or new term of Council to consider the items listed within its transition/legacy document for the next term of Committee if the new term of Council saw fit to continue the Active Transportation and Sustainability Committee.

COMMITTEE COMPOSITION

The Committee discussed the separation of the active transportation side and the sustainability side of the Committee for future meetings, as more concentration had been on that of the active transportation side. The Committee also talked about amending the Committee's composition to add the EV Society as a member.

NEW INITIATIVES - GREEN COMMUNITIES

No action was taken on this item.

BIKE THE NIGHT

Kelly Patterson-McGrath talked about the progress made on the Bike the Night event, which have things on track and moving forward, vendors that have declined to attend due to staffing issues, the availability of tents, tables and chairs that are being provided by the Downtown BIA, monetary and prize donations, permits, promoting the event, and the call-out for volunteers to assist.

Councillor, A. Kungl mentioned that there will be a meeting with the Barrie Police Service to go over the route and other aspects of the event, the need for volunteers, creating a promotional video using #bikethenightbarrie, the current amount of registrants, the Committee members taking pictures with their bikes decorated to share with messages about the event, draws and prizes, as well as having first aid on site.

John Northcote provided that both Rock95 and KOOL FM would be on site for the event.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 11:35 a.m.

CHAIRMAN